

**BAHAMAS MARINE FORECAST**

**MARINE FORECASTS FOR THE BAHAMAS ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 12:00 P.M. EST FRIDAY FEBRUARY 27, 2026, FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECASTS WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 P.M. EST.**

**WARNINGS:** There is a slight to moderate risk of rip currents for the Atlantic coastal waters of the Southeast Bahamas. Swimmers are advised to exercise extreme caution when entering these waters.  
There is a slight risk of rip currents for the Atlantic waters of the Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas.

**GENERAL SITUATION:** Ridging will steer a warm southeasterly breeze across the islands through tonight; the ridge will weaken overnight while shower chances increase through Saturday ahead of an approaching cold front expected to shift across the islands on Sunday while weakening.

**NORTHERN BAHAMAS**

(INCLUDING GRAND BAHAMA, ABACO, BIMINI & ADJACENT WATERS):

**ADVISORY:** No advisory.  
**WINDS:** Southeast to south at 10 knots with occasional higher gusts through Friday.  
**LOCAL SEAS:** 1 to 3 feet on the sheltered waters and 3 to 5 feet on the Atlantic waters on Friday.  
**SWELLS:** Light east to southeast swells on the Atlantic waters.  
**WEATHER:** Isolated showers with a chance for a thunderstorm.

**NORTHWEST BAHAMAS**

(INCLUDING NEW PROVIDENCE, ANDROS, THE BERRY ISLANDS, ELEUTHERA & ADJACENT WATERS):

**ADVISORY:** No advisory.  
**WINDS:** East-southeast at 10 knots tonight through Friday with occasional higher gusts.  
**LOCAL SEAS:** 1 to 3 feet on the sheltered waters and 3 to 5 feet on the Atlantic.  
**SWELLS:** Light east to southeast swells on the Atlantic waters.  
**WEATHER:** Isolated showers with a chance for a thunderstorm.

**CENTRAL BAHAMAS**

(INCLUDING EXUMA, CAT ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, SAN SALVADOR, RUM CAY & ADJACENT WATERS):

**ADVISORY:** No advisory.  
**WINDS:** East-southeast at 10 knots tonight through Friday with occasional higher gusts.  
**LOCAL SEAS:** 1 to 3 feet on the sheltered waters and 3 to 5 feet on the Atlantic waters.  
**SWELLS:** Light east to southeast swells on the Atlantic waters.  
**WEATHER:** Isolated showers with a chance for a thunderstorm.

**SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS**

(INCLUDING INAGUA, ACKLINS, CROOKED ISLAND, MAYAGUANA, RAGGED ISLAND & ADJACENT WATERS):

**ADVISORY:** There is a **small craft advisory** in effect for the Atlantic waters.  
**WINDS:** East-southeast at 10 to 15 knots through Friday with higher gusts.  
**LOCAL SEAS:** 3 to 5 feet on the sheltered waters and 5 to 7 feet on the Atlantic waters tonight through Friday.  
**SWELLS:** Light north to northeast swells on the Atlantic waters.  
**WEATHER:** Isolated showers with a chance for a thunderstorm.



<b>MOONRISE:</b>	<b>MOONSET:</b>
2:28 PM	3:35 AM <sub>SAT</sub>
<b>MOON PHASE</b>	
<b>FIRST QUARTER</b>	
<b>FULL MOON - MARCH 03RD</b>	

<b>ISLAND TIDES:</b>	<b>NORTHERN (GRAND BAHAMA):</b>	<b>NORTHWEST (NEW PROVIDENCE):</b>	<b>CENTRAL (EXUMA):</b>	<b>SOUTHEAST (INAGUA):</b>
<b>HIGH TIDE:</b>	4:52 PM	4:28 PM	4:30 PM	4:44 PM
<b>LOW TIDE:</b>	11:07 PM	10:37 PM	10:30 PM	10:59 PM

*(For specific times for other islands, please see Tide Table Publication.)*

**EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR ###DAY, FEBRUARY ## , 2026:**

*There is a **small craft advisory** in effect for the Atlantic waters of the Southeast Bahamas...*

**ADVISORY:**

Northern and Northwest Bahamas: South to southwest at 10 knots with occasional higher gusts; backing northwest overnight.

**WINDS:**

Central Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots with occasional higher gusts.

Southeast Bahamas: East-southeast at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.

Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 1 to 3 feet on the sheltered waters and 3 to 5 feet on the Atlantic waters.

**SEAS:**

Central Bahamas: 2 to 4 feet on the sheltered waters and 3 to 5 feet on the Atlantic waters.

Southeast Bahamas: 4 to 6 feet on the sheltered waters and 5 to 7 feet on the Atlantic waters.

Northern Bahamas: Isolated showers and thunderstorms.

**PRECIPITATION:**

Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas: Isolated showers with the chance for thunderstorms.



**EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR ###DAY, FEBRUARY ##, 2026:**

*There is a **small craft caution** in effect for the Atlantic waters of the Southeast Bahamas...*

**ADVISORY:**

Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: Northwest to north, veering northeast to east at 10 knots with occasional higher gusts.

**WINDS:**

Southeast Bahamas: East-southeast at 15 to 20 knots on the Inagua waters and 10 to 15 knots with occasional higher gusts elsewhere.

Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: 1 to 3 feet on the sheltered waters and 3 to 5 feet on the Atlantic waters.

**SEAS:**

Southeast Bahamas: 3 to 5 feet on the sheltered waters and 4 to 6 feet on the open waters off Inagua and the Atlantic waters.

**PRECIPITATION:**

All areas: Isolated showers and thunderstorms.

**THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY**

*Email: [bahamas.forecast.office@gmail.com](mailto:bahamas.forecast.office@gmail.com) or [meteo@batelnet.bs](mailto:meteo@batelnet.bs)*



**BAHAMAS  
DEPARTMENT OF  
METEOROLOGY**

**FORECASTER: S.A.W.**

*(Please view our products on our Bahamas Meteorology Facebook Page or our website, [met.gov.bs](http://met.gov.bs).)*

**We value your feedback!** Please click this link <https://forms.gle/i53xH73geVH8Dz7n8> to fill out our survey; designed to gather insights on the accuracy, accessibility and usefulness of The Bahamas Department of Meteorology's **marine weather products**. The survey will take only a moment of your time to complete and your input will directly contribute to enhancing our services. Thank you!

